FROM OVER THE SEA.

Condensation of All the Foreign News.

FRANCO-RUSSIAN ALLIANCE.

A Commercial Treaty Agreed Upon Between the Two Countries Which May Prove a Detriment to the United States. Other Cable Dispatches.

LONDON, Aug. 1.-It is understood that the terms of a commercial alliance have been practically agreed upon between France and Russia, whereby each country will give preference to the products of the other. As Russia, in years of favorable harvests, is largely a food exporting country, this arrange-ment will militate against the United States rather than England, although British manufacturers receive a severe blow from the new French tariff, as

In return for French concessions, Russia will, it is said, give a preference to French manufactures, while maintaining a stringent tariff for imports from other countries. The advantage thus given to France enhances enormously the value of Russian alliance, irrespective of any motive of hostility toward

The St. Petersburg correspondent of The Times claims to have learned on high authority that Admiral Gervaise brought with him to Russia the draft of a treaty of alliance, arrived at during the consultations between the Russian minister in Paris, Mohrenheim, and the French cabinet. The draft thus pre-pared was to be submitted to consideration and elaboration at the Russian foreign office, and when the negotiations were concluded, the document was to be signed by the Russian ministers and the matters left in embryo until it should be opportune for the czar to sign the treaty. Admiral Gervais spent the morning in close consultation with Giers, minister of foreign affairs, and Vannovski, minister of war and the chief of the admiralty.

Turks Becoming Alarmed.

London, Aug. 1.—A Constantinople dispatch says that for two days past a Russian ironclad has been hovering at the Black sea entrance of the Darda-nelles, and the Turks are alarmed at the idea that the vessel may attempt to force its way through to the Mediterranean. In such case, the Turkish fleet would not be in a position to prevent the

Watching a Chilian War Vessel.

LISBON, Aug. 1.—The cruiser Presidente Errazuriz, which was built for the Balmaceda government of Chili sailed at 5 a. m., but anchored off the harbor. Her movements are watched closely by the Portuguese authorities and agents of other governments.

Will Break With the Rothschilds.

LONDON, Aug. 1.-C. J. Hambro & Son have been appointed bankers to the Russian government. It is understood that this means a final break between the Russian government and the Roth-

Explosion in a Coal Pit.

Berlin, Aug. 1.—An explosion in the Karlsglueck coal pit, Westphalia, caused

EXCURSION STEAMER ON FIRE. Almost a Panic Among Twelve Hundred Passengers.

NEW HAVEN, Aug. 1.—As the steamer Elm City was returning from an excursion from New York and Coney Island with the St. Patrick's Total Abstinence Benevolent society on board the boat caught fire from an overheated boiler, abaft of the port wheelhouse, when off Norwalk. There were about 1,200 persons on board and for a time a panic was immipent.

Tucker and the crew of the boat order was soon restored, the hands were ordered to their places, and the first shower. The fight was soon restored to their places, and the first shower. dered to their places and the fire extinguished. One young man fainted from terror and several of the women had to be attended to by their escorts.

From the Lakes to Liverpool.

CLEVELAND, Aug. 1.—A company with a capital of \$2,500,000 has been organin England to operate a line of steamers direct from Toledo and other Lake Erie ports to Liverpool. A branch line is to run between New Orleans and Liverpool to engage in the cotton carrying trade. The Toledo flour mills have arranged to ship two-thirds of their output of 5,000 barrels a day to Liverpool by water. Colonel S. C. Reynolds, the rich grain merchant of Toledo, who has just returned from England, eagineered the organization of the new company, and will act as president thereof.

The Last of the Miamis.

FORT WAYNE, Ind., Aug. 1.—James R. Godfrey, the last of the Miami tribe of Indians, and once a chief, is dying at his home, south of this city, from an at-tack of cholera morbus. He is the son of Francis Godfrey, once a powerful chief of the Miamis. Years ago the government reserved to the old chief, Godfrey, several hundred acres of land near this city, which has grown into great value, and is yet entirely occupied by descendants of the old chief, God-

A Chinaman Wants to Fight Sullivan. BALTIMORE, Aug. 1.—Lee Bin Nam, a noted Chinese pugilist, reached this city last night on his way from New York to San Francisco and will remain here a few days as the guest of Young Hoar, the leading Chinaman of Baltimore. The Herald says Lee Bin Nam will probably challenge Sullivan to fight. He is five feet eight inches in height and weighs about 200 pounds.

A Fraudulent Company.

ALBANY, Aug. 1.—The state superintendent of insurance says he will begin action to dissolve the Flour City Life Insurance company, of Rochester, on the ground of fraud.

Another Oil Well.

St. Mary's, O., Aug. 1.—The Standard Oil sompany yesterday afternoon drilled in a 400-barrel oil well on the Mott farm, near here.

DOWN AN EMBANKMENT.

one Man Killed and Several Injured in a Railroad Accident.

BELLEAIRE, O., Aug. 1,-An accident occurred on the Bellaire, Zanesville and Cincinnati railway yesterday just south of this city, in which one man was fatally injured and several persons were badly crippled. The passenger train due here at 8:30 o'clock, having a baggage car and two coaches loaded with people coming to a circus in this city, jumped the track, the baggage and one

coach falling down an embankment.

Joseph Morris, baggagemaster, was
thrown out of the door, and the car turned over on him. He is now in a dangerous condition.

Following is a list of the injured: John Irwin, leg broken and side

Samuel and Willie McElroy, arms

George Wilcox, bad cut on head. Henry Miller, broken wrist and dislocated shoulder.

George W. Day, hip crushed and back badly sprained.

"Last Days of Pompeli." CINCINNATI, Aug. 1.—The Order of Cincinnatus will this year present one of the greatest spectacles ever produced in America—"The Last Days of Pompeii." The stage will be 300 feet wide, with a lake of real water 270 by 75 feet in dimensions. There will be real houses in the mimic city of Pompeii and mountains with ingenious volcanic engines within them. The pyrotechnical display will be something marvelous. The great spectacle will begin Aug. 24, and continue four weeks.

Dr. Van Dyke's Successor.

New York, Aug. 1.—At a special meeting of the trustees of Union Theological seminary, yesterday, Rev. Dr. John Hopkins Worcester, pastor of the Sixth Presbyterian church, of Chicago, was elected to succeed the late Dr. Van Dyke in the professorship of systematic theology. Dr. Worcester who is 46 years old, was graduated from the seminary in 1871, and is president of the Alumni association. At the recent general assembly in Detroit he made a speech in behalf of Dr. Briggs.

Fight Declared Off.

Anderson, Ind., Aug. 1.—The proposed fight to a finish for a purse of \$2,000 and the middleweight championship between Dick Collier, of this city, and Jack Hanley, of Indianapolis, has been declared off. The parties met Thursday evening to sign articles and deposit stakes, but at the same time a delegation of prominent Pythians, of which order Collier is a member, waited upon him and persuaded him to withdraw from

Another Prize Fighter Named Sullivan. LAWRENCE, Mass., Aug. 1.-John Sullivan, a California heavymeight, and Frank Gallagher, of this place, fought a prize fight at 5 o'clock yesterday morn-ing at Messers Crossing, N. H., just far enough across the state line to evade the Massachusetts law. They fought with four-ounce gloves and Gallagher was knocked out in the eighth round.

Wanted to Shoot His Son's Slayer. Higginsport, O., Aug. 1.—Joseph Hall, the murderer of Wilson Butler, Sunday, near here, received his preliminary examination before Mayor Walther, and was remanded to the county jail without bail. The father of the murdered man had to be removed by force from the court room to prevent him from shooting Hall.

Tried to Buy an Elliott Juryman. COLUMBUS, O., Aug. 1.—There is a sensation on tap in the famous Elliott trial. It is known that the wife of Juror Peters was approached by a lady and offered \$500 for her husband's vote. She told him nothing about it until he returned home after the verdict. The attorneys for the defense have filed a motion for a new trial.

Rained Fish and Frogs.

regular shower. The fish were three-fourths of an inch in length, and the frogs less than one-half inch. Many were preserved in alcohol by the citizens, to convince skeptics that the phenomena really occurred.

Brewery Damaged by Fire.

NEW YORK, Aug. 1.-Thirty thousand dollars damage was caused to the malt house and contents of Evard's brewery at 12 East One Hundred and Thirtythird street by fire early yesterday morning. The fire is supposed to have been started by a spark from some foreign substance in the grinding machinery. This is the third fire in the brewery within a month.

Newfoundland Favors Annexation.

Boston, Aug. 1.—The Newfoundland association here held a meeting last night, at which the statement was made that if the matter was left to the popular vote in Newfoundland yesterday fully two-thirds of the population would be in favor of annexation.

Went to Sleep on the Track.

Indianapolis, Aug. 1.—Daniel Sharp, aged 22, and employed on a farm south of this city, went to sleep on the Belt railroad tracks yesterday and was struck and horribly mangled by a passing freight train, living but a few mo-

Mine Fire Extinguished.

GIRARDVILLE, Pa., Aug. 1.—The fire which has been burning in the Lehigh company packer No. 5 colliery, at Lost Creek, has been put out and repairs are now being made to the mine.

Pulp Milis Burned.

LAKE GEORGE, N. Y., Aug. 1.—The three-story pulp mill of the Glens Falls company at Ticonderoga was burned yesterday. Loss, \$50,000. Insured.

A Family Tiff.

"Perhaps you are not aware that I had over a dozen proposals of marrige before I got yours," said Mrs. McDougall stiffly, after a little tiff with her lord and master the other morning.

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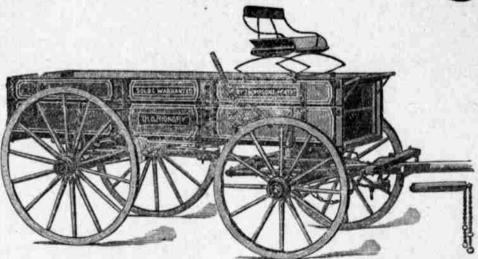
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